

JURORS IN THE UNITED STATES COURTS.

JOINT RESOLUTION

OF THE

LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

IN REGARD TO

The manner of drawing jurors for the Federal court in said State.

JANUARY 20, 1873.—Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary and ordered to be printed.

Whereas the jurors for the Federal court in this State are now selected by the marshal of the United States; and whereas this manner of selecting jurors is in contravention of the laws of this State, incompatible with the liberty of the subject, and liable to great abuse: Therefore,

Resolved, (the senate concurring,) That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to use their influence in so amending the laws of the United States that jurors for the Federal court in this State shall be drawn upon the same general principle that jurors for the superior court of this State are now drawn.

Resolved, That the secretary of state furnish a copy of this resolution to each Senator and Representative in Congress from this State.

Passed the general assembly of North Carolina, and ratified this 14th day of December, A. D. 1872.

J. L. ROBINSON,
Speaker of the House.
J. T. MOREHEAD,
President of the Senate.

